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In re Application of:

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For:

Microemulsion Containing Alkanolammonium Salts of Fatty Alcohol

Sulfates and/or Alkylpolyalkylene-

glycolether Sulfates

Examiner: Wang, Shengjun

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.